

Concert Band (2nd hour)

Fall Final

The Concert Band final for the Fall Semester is made up of three parts this year.

- Recorded Playing Test (40%)
- Live Playing Test (30%)
- Written Test (30%)

The Recorded Playing Test

Students will need to play the chromatic scale and 1 etude (selected by Mr. Bayerle) from the All-District Audition music. Students need to record this outside of class time and turn it into Mr. Bayerle. Please use the CHARMS recording system if possible. Please read the separate page titled: *Playing Test Recording Instruction* for recording instructions. STUDENTS CAN TURN IN THE RECORDING ANYTIME BETWEEN NOVEMBER 18TH AND THE DECEMBER 16TH.

Live Playing Test

Students will play the below items (just as practiced in class) live for Mr. Kite or Mr. Bayerle on the Day of the Concert Band Final (Friday December 16th, 2011).

- Concert Eb, Bb, F, C major scales from memory without stopping between scales
- If students wish to play more than one octave, they may do so for extra credit

Written Test

Students will take a written exam on the day that the Concert Band final is scheduled (Friday December 16th, 2011). A Study guide will be given out no later than 1 week prior to the final exam.

Playing Test Recording Instruction

Option 1

CHARMS recording system – Students can Log Into their personal account in CHARMS. Directions for doing so are located on the Henry Clay Band Web Site (www.henryclayband.org). Once in Charms follow these instructions:

- Recording Studio
- Set Microphone levels appropriately
- Select Assignment to be recorded
- Press Record
- Play your test
- Hit Stop
- Save (Check Mark Box)and Send (This will send it directly to me)

Option 2

Record your test at home on your own personal recording device and submit it to Mr. Bayerle via email, CD or upload into CHARMS (Preferred)

Option 3

Sign up for a time before or after school to use the Band's recorder. **DO NOT WAIT UNTIL THE DAY BEFORE. IF A TIME HAS ALREADY BEEN SCHEDULED YOU WILL MAY RUN OUT OF TIME.**